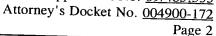


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In re F	Patent Application of) BOX NON-FEE AMENDMENT							
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Application No.: 09/485,533) Examiner: Rabon A. Sergent							
Filed:	June 9, 2000) Confirmation No.: 2035							
For:	METHOD FOR PREPARING (POLY)ISOCYANATE COMPOSITION WITH REDUCED VISCOSITY	RECEIVED APR 16 2003 TO 1700							
AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER									
Assistar Washing	nt Commissioner for Patents gton, D.C. 20231								
Sir:									
Enc	closed is a reply for the above-identified pate	ent application.							
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[]	Also enclosed is/are								
[]	Small entity status is hereby claimed.								
[]	Applicant(s) request continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the [] \$375.00 (2801) [] \$750.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).								
	[] Applicant(s) previously submitted, on, for which continued examination is requested.								
[]	Applicant(s) request suspension of action by the Office until at least, which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.								
[]	A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also enclosed.								
[X]	No additional claim fee is required.								



An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below: []

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Total Claims	38	MINUS 38 =	0	× \$18.00 (1202) =	0.00	
Independent Claims	14	MINUS 14 =	0	× \$84.00 (1201) =	0.00	
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$280.00 (1203)						
Total Amendment Fee						
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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